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The Musical Event of The Season

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JOHN TEMPLE GRAVES

Springs Sensation by Asking Bryan to Name Roosevelt.

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 17.—A sensational feature of the banquet given here tonight by the Bryan Anniversary Club, at which William Bryan was the guest of honor, was the utterance of a speech by John Temple Graves, editor of the Atlanta Georgian, who in his letter, asked to speak because the toastmaster asked him not to talk about Bryan, suggested that Bryan should nominate Roosevelt for reelection. Later Mr. Graves was induced to go to the banquet hall and deliver his speech. Mr. Graves in his letter said:

Hon. F. A. Hood, President Bryan Anniversary Club, Chattanooga, Tenn.—Dear Sir: I came to Chattanooga, yielding to no one in profound and affectionate regard for Mr. Bryan and for the Democratic party and its principles.

In the course of my speech I want to make that plain in so warm glowing sentences as my heart can fashion. I am profoundly convinced that in this period of tremendous economic crisis the only man who can carry to successful conclusion the reform instituted in behalf of the people is the man who is already entrenched in the power and prestige of dauntless courage and a consummate success in the executive office.

I have endeavored in my speech to give my convictions, and these convictions are so earnest and sincere that I cannot change them unless better reasons are given than have been presented to me up to the present time.

My reason for stating this conviction at a Bryan banquet with Mr. Bryan present, was because I considered it the manly and Democratic thing to do.

The time to voice a sentiment so pertinent to the life, to the present and to the realization of best interests of a Democracy, is in a corner of the faithful and in the full presence of our great and shining leader who would be there to commend to approve or to condemn with the full force of his influence and prestige, as he might see fit.

If I had made this speech in the North and with a mixed audience present it would have carried a suggestion of truckling or the appear-

ance of seeking favors where the other party was stronger than my own.

It appeared to me that the only fair and honest thing to do was to speak my convictions in full and with open voice. In this belief my speech, upon the request of the Associated Press, has already been sent out to the newspapers of the country.

I have not one particle of dogmatism, nor any more pride of personal opinion in pressing this matter, but the publicity already given to my speech commits me to it so far that I cannot in courage or in consistency suppress that part of my speech around which the whole revolves.

I recognize the full right of the committee, when they have secured from unclassified copies of my speech the trend of my remarks, to express approval or disapproval of the utterance, and since I, on the request of the committee to right must yield full obedience to their wishes in the matter, it is my misfortune to have misinterpreted the occasion as to find a Bryan ratification meeting where I came to attend a free and serious party deliberation.

There seems nothing left me than, save to withhold the speech from the Bryan banquet, although I cannot consistently ask the newspapers to which it has already been given to refrain from such use as they may see fit to make of it.

Of course this was only an individual conviction submitted to judgment of my party. I do not need to say if Mr. Bryan shall be nominated in the wisdom of the Democratic party as our next candidate for President, that I shall give him my whole-hearted and unqualified, enthusiastic support.

I thank the committee most cordially for the courtesy of their invitation and regretting to find myself in variance with that portion of the club who have charge of the programme, I most sincerely wish them a pious evening and a profitable discussion of the great issues of importance to the party and people.

Very sincerely,
JOHN TEMPLE GRAVES.

Later Mr. Graves was persuaded to take his place at the banquet table and spoke in part as follows:

The times may change, and men may change as well, before the campaign of 1908 begins. But if the conditions then are as they are today—if Roosevelt rules the storm that is brewing in the realm of corporate capital, then our way seems open and our duty clear.

Speaking here deliberately for myself, and, in my fair judgment, of

the great majority of the plain and honest Democrats of the Empire Southern State, from which I came, I believe that we should put the party below the people, the principle above the man. We should rebuke the spirit of spoils and the hunger of faction. We should affirm our principles, confess our faith, recite the necessity of the reform of corporate capital as the supreme and transcendent issue of the times, pay tribute to the great and typical American who has proved himself the dauntless and conquering captain of the people's cause, and then and there in this great convention of our own, William J. Bryan, the one unmatched and incomparable evangel of our faith, speaking for a pure Democracy, and speaking for the whole plain people of this republic, should put in nomination Theodore Roosevelt for one more undisturbed term of power to finish the work that he has so gloriously begun.

It would give this great country of ours one millennial period in which factions and partisans should be still, and the spirit of representative government should be given a new birth and a new consecration to its great ideals to the glory of the people and the admiration of the world.

And when this people had won their majestic and enduring victory to the great and transcendent economic problem of the times, then, at its conclusion, parties, which are always necessary and always helpful in a republic's life, might separate once more into their separate camps behind real shielded, in which every line of sectionalism should be buried, every bogie of fogism and of graft should be obliterated, and in which men who have followed for twenty years in slavish loyalty of faction behind platforms which they did not indorse and leaders in which they did not believe—might align themselves once more and honestly carried theories of government which carried their sincere convictions, and enlisted their intelligence and their noble zeal.

It would mean a new birth for parties and a new start for the republic, in mission and in history.

Mr. Chairman, I submit in high and representative honesty this proposition, which seems to be radical, but which I know to be right. I have never been more loyal to the life and fortunes of the great Neb-raskan who is our honored guest to-night I have never been a better and a truer Democrat than when I suggest this sacrifice which will make our peace with history and establish the prosperity of the people. Bury me if you will with partisan scorn to-night, but think of me to-morrow

with that high and patriotic conscience which lifts the patriot above the partisan and blends the immortal principle with the real welfare of the people.

The Democratic party fronts today an opportunity which comes not often in human history to glorify its principles and to perpetuate its usefulness among men.

May God and the better angels of our history help us to the patriot's policy and the people's weal.—Courier Journal.

Mrs. J. W. Branson Dead.

Mrs. Nora Belle Howerton Branson, wife of J. W. Branson, of Mat-ton vicinity, died Wednesday, April 10, of consumption after a lingering illness of twelve months duration. She contracted malaria in Southeast Missouri last year and soon after her return here to her old homestead was a victim of gripe which settled on her lungs, and after that she continued to decline.

She was born Jan. 30, 1875 and was the daughter of Richard L. Howerton, a well known citizen of the county. She was married to J. W. Branson, who survives her, in 1893 and leaves five children. Her surviving sisters are Miss Kittie Howerton and Mrs. Una Shewmaker, and brothers are James, Charles, Fred, John, Coleman and Browne.

She was a Christian since childhood, being a member of the Repton Baptist church. The interment took place Thursday at the Repton cemetery Rev. F. G. Hughes officiating.

Mrs. Mary Grasty Dead.

A telegram received in the city Monday morning contained the news of the death of Mrs. Mary Grasty, mother of Mrs. R. C. Love, of this city, who has been at her bedside the past week.

Mrs. Grasty has made her home recently with her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Darwin, at Evansville, Tenn. but for many years resided near Williams Rolling Mill in Lyon county and later at Cadiz, where with her daughters she kept one of the best hotels in Western Kentucky.

Mrs. Grasty was a noble Christian character and was much beloved and respected by all with whom she came in contact. She was seventy-eight years of age. By her request her remains were brought to Edgelyville yesterday and were laid to rest at the old family burying ground.

Beautiful Art Piano.

Manufactured by the famous Krell Piano Co. in Cincinnati, Ohio, was sold through their representative, C. H. Kiener, here to Mr. Felix Cox, of Marion, who is very proud of possessing the finest piano in town.

Fire and tornado insurance. Bond-lami & Haynes.

CHAS. M'MICAN KILLED

Was Shot and Mortally Wounded by Louis Sliger, Saturday.

A most distressing tragedy occurred at the home of James Kirk in the Colon vicinity last Saturday afternoon at five o'clock, in which Louis Sliger was shot and in turn shot and mortally wounded Charles McMicen, of the same vicinity.

The full particulars are not obtainable, but will all be brought out at the examining trial next Friday, Apr. 26, and will be published in full. Some of the incidents immediately preceding and following the killing are as follows:

Sliger had gone to Kirk's house to see him about the purchase of some hogs, and as Kirk was in Tolu he awaited his return. When he did return McMicen was with him and carried a shot gun, which he proceeded to empty at Sliger, who carrying a Colts revolver, emptied it at his antagonist. One of the bullets from Sliger's pistol struck McMicen's horse and another struck the rider in the abdomen penetrating to the backbone. He walked home three hundred yards, but realized he had received his death wound and so informed his family. Dr. Clement was hastily summoned from Tolu, but gave the dying man's family no encouragement after examining the wound.

Sliger was struck in the head by one of the shots from McMicen's gun but his wound while painful is not dangerous.

McMicen leaves a wife and four children. He has been married three times, his first wife being Richard Gass' daughter. His second Jas. Chighorn's daughter. His present wife was Miss Sallie Fry before her marriage. McMicen was only thirty years of age and was a brother of Henry McMicen, a well known citizen of this county.

The unfortunate affair is deplored by every one as both men have many friends and stood well in their respective neighborhoods where known.

Mr. Sliger has employed Hon. A. C. Moore to defend him. He surrendered Sunday and was put under \$1000 bond, which was increased to \$2500 after McMicen's death which occurred Monday morning at ten o'clock.

The interment took place Tuesday at the family burying ground on the Ford's Ferry road near Crooked Creek and was attended by one of the largest crowds ever seen at a funeral in the county. Rev. E. B. Blackburn officiated.

J. T. Hickin will sell you flour cheaper than any one.

SENATOR BLACKBURN SAILS

New Canal Commissioner took Kentucky Horse on Isthmian Trip.

Washington, D. C., April 17.—Senator Blackburn, who has received his commission as a member of the Panama Canal Commission, sailed for the Isthmus on April 7th, accompanied by his family. Included in the family was Mrs. Blackburn, her sister, Mrs. Kitch, and the Senator's granddaughter, Little Teresa Lane. The Blackburns will reside at Ancon, which city over-looks the Pacific ocean. But the Senator will have to be here a great portion of the time during the session of congress, as a part of his duties will be to represent the Secretary of War in hearings before committees of Congress considering proposed canal legislation. Senator Blackburn will have direct charge of all matters relating to relations of the Canal Zone with adjacent republics, and also, as far as possible, represent the commission before the public in this country, delivering frequent addresses on public occasions in various parts of the country.

Senator Blackburn took his riding horse to the Isthmus, but left the rest of his stable in Kentucky.

Mrs. Woodson's Burial.

The interment of Mrs. Maggie Franklin Woodson, the young wife of George Woodson, took place at Rosebud church ten miles East of Marion Thursday morning. There was no funeral service at the grave, this being deferred, as many members of the family were unable to attend, a song and prayer by the pastor, Rev. R. C. Love, being the only observance. Besides her husband and two little girls, May eight years and Georgia four years of age. She is survived by her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Ben Franklin, four sisters, Madames Geo. Duff, F. E. Davis, of Miss. Frank Martin, of Union county, and Miss Athia Franklin also two brothers, Jr. and James.

She was born Feb. 22nd, 1881, was married in 1893 and was a consistent christian woman much beloved by all who knew her.

Monday morning Mr. Rubie Holder and Miss Pearl Hornback, of Dyensburg vicinity, came up and were married at the court house by Rev. E. B. Blackburn.

They were accompanied by another couple also from Dyensburg. Mad-dame rumor soon spread the news on the street, and by the time the licensed could be issued, quite a good crowd had gathered to witness the marriage.

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"WHITE GLAD" Refrigerators
"ARCTIC" Freezers

NOTICE OF CHAMBLEE

The Kentucky Breeding Bureau recently sent to H. F. Green at Salem, Livingston county the thoroughbred stallion Chamblee, whose service will be donated to the people of this section.

The Bureau was organized several weeks ago in order to help improve the general class of horse stock of the state. To that end it is purchasing thoroughbred stallions of such size, conformation and temperament as will produce excellent general purpose horses when bred to common farm mares of these sections to which they are sent. So far as the Bureau is concerned, the services of these stallions is donated free to the people of the state as the Bureau receives no monetary return directly or indirectly from them.

A service fee of ten dollars (\$10.00) is charged which goes in full to the man in whose care the stallions are placed in all sections of Kentucky from Ballard, McCracken, and Livingston counties in the west, to Carter, Powell, and Morgan counties in the east, from Owen, Breckinridge and Henderson counties in the north, to Trigg, Warren, Russell, Clinton, Metcalf, Laurel and Simpson counties in the south.

Chamblee is a seven-year-old chestnut horse by imported Charaxus-Cantey by Eolus, second dam Calash by imported Phaeton, third dam Blandine by Lexington. He was bought by a representative of the Kentucky Breeding Bureau who went to New Orleans and selected him as one of the three best horses to be found at either track there for the purposes of the Bureau. He is a splendid individual, fine type, fine size, plenty of bone and substance, and yet with all that quality which is so notably a part of the thorough-

bred horse, and which makes him superior to all other breeds. Chamblee will be on display at Mr. Green's place, and every citizen of this section who can possibly do so, should go to see him. A better idea of his magnificent individuality can be thus obtained than through any description that might be put down through these columns.

Cured Hemorrhages of the Lungs.

"Several years since my lungs were so badly affected that I had many hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake, of Wood, Ind. "I took treatment with several physicians without any benefit. I then started to take Foley's Honey and Tar, and my lungs are now as sound as a bullet. I recommend it in advanced stages of lung trouble." Foley's Honey and Tar stops the cough and heals the lungs, and prevents serious results from a cold. Refuse substitutes. J. H. Orme.

About You.

Your bones number 208.
Your stomach has four coats.
Your brain is seven-eighths water.
There are but four bones to your ear.

Your lungs contain five quarts of air.

Your sense of touch is dulled on your back.

Your liver weighs between three and four pounds.

Your muscles number 327, of which 260 are in pairs.

Your longest, largest and strongest bone is the femur, or thigh bone.

Your wife's brain, in proportion to her weight, is larger than yours. —Exchange.

Out of Sight

"Out of sight, out of mind," is an old saying which applies with special force to a sore, burn or wound that's been treated with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's out of sight, out of mind and out of existence. Piles too and chilblains disappear under its healing influence. Guaranteed by J. H. Orme.

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T. H. Rushing to Miss Della Myers.

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I am handling the best of cold storage products.

Tenderloin,
Porterhouse,
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A trial is all I ask.
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GUY GIVENS.

FUNERAL OF COLMESNEIL

Wednesday Afternoon Was Attended by Many Prominent Railroad Men—Flowers in Abundance.

It seemed to me there were flowers from everywhere, fashioned into beautiful designs. In point of fact these loving expressions of sympathy and tenderness came, in the main, from Will's railroad friends who reside in Evansville. Flowers, the rarest of flowers, the greatest abundance of flowers were mute witnesses to the sorrow of Will Colmesneil's friends. To form a true estimate of a man's character learn what that man's daily associates think of him. At the funeral were a goodly number of high railroad officials, superintendents, general passenger agents, general freight agents and conductors and engineers, most of whom were past the meridian line, rugged, practical business men, whose features were softened and refined and humbled by the sorrow they felt. I give the names of some, not all, of the railroad men who mourned for Will Colmesneil on yesterday: Edgar James, Leo Hurd, E. H. Mann, Henry J. Clarke, H. G. Nelson, Ed Dyer, W. D. Bell, S. A. Cherry, T. S. Shaw, M. J. Kierce and Messrs. W. L. Smith, W. E. Downing, Converse, H. J. Shoenig and Walsh and other railroad men whose names I failed to get. These men of affairs, these keen readers of human nature, had known Will Colmesneil for years and their friendship for him was strong and durable as his friendship was for them. The reciprocal friendship of one true man for another. And there were yet other mourners there whose faces were strange to Will's Kentucky friends, a host of whom, his Kentucky friends I mean, shared the sorrows of the Indiana mourners.

Will Colmesneil's father, John De Colmesneil, came from France and settled in Bullitt county about twenty miles from Louisville. He was of a distinguished family and was highly educated and accomplished. He married Courtney Taylor, a daughter of Major Edmund Taylor, of Jefferson county, whose wife was a Thurston. From this union the subject of this sketch was born fifty-eight years ago. All of which being known it is quite easy to account for the virile traits and attractive, lovable characteristics of the deceased—heredity.

Will Colmesneil's two sons, noble boys I learn, should be inspired by a knowledge of their honored ancestors, for the mother of these bright boys was a daughter of that same old pioneer stock—the historic Taylor family of Virginia and Kentucky. This is neither a report or an obituary. Simply the sad jottings made by a friend of Will Colmesneil on returning from the funeral—while yet the voices of preachers and choir is haunting his ears. J. N. B.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. The pleasant cold remedy that expels the cold through its action on the bowels. Sold by J. H. Orme.

Big Sensation Over Lost Child.

There has not been a more sensational excitement in Vine Grove in a long time than occurred there late Saturday evening, when a little girl about five or six years of age got lost and wandered six or seven miles over the surrounding country.

The little girl is the daughter of Mr. Cumberland Brown, who resides just over in Meade county. She had come to town with her brother, Albert Brown, who after making his purchases left her and went to hitch up his wagon. While he was gone the little girl seeing a male team going out of town thought he had gone and left her and started for home afoot. After wandering through fields and woods and across a creek, running from those who called to her as she passed, the little one came up to the door of Mr. Will Hall and knocked for admittance. The only information she gave them was that she was "Mamma's girl," and after eating supper played contentedly with the children. Mr. Hall telephoned to Vine Grove and found out that the whole town was on with lanterns in search of the little girl, who had been roving over the country from 5 o'clock until after midnight. There was much excitement during the search. Elizabeth Brown News.

Stomach And Liver Troubles Cured

Orino Laxative Syrup cures stomach and liver trouble as it aids digestion, and stimulates the liver and bowels without irritating these organs like pills and ordinary cathartics. It cures indigestion and sick headache and chronic constipation. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or grip and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. J. H. Orme.

Deeds Recorded.

S. M. Jenkins and wife to Mary Dewey two lots in Marion exchange of property.

Thos. F. Williams to Thos. H. Stephenson 4 acres on Livingston creek, \$200.

P. S. Maxwell to Sam Gughenheim house and lot in Marion, \$1200 etc.

Fannie Crum to Norman Hoover house and lot in Marion, \$400.

R. G. Vanhoosier to John Gobin 100 acres in Crittenden county, \$700.

"Preventis" will promptly check a cold or the gripe when taken early or at the "sneeze stage." Preventies cure seated colds as well. Preventies are little candy cold cure tablets, and Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis., will gladly mail you samples and a book on Colds free, if you will write him. The samples prove their merit. Check early Colds with Preventies and stop pneumonia. Sold in 5c and 25c boxes by Haynes & Taylor.

We have noticed that a good many girls marry without any definite idea as to the best way to kill the odor of cooking cabbage.—Topeka Capital.

Just Because

Your cough is only in the throat and does not trouble you now, don't think that it needs no attention. When it has not had much of a start is the time to check it. The slightest cough easily leads to Pneumonia, Bronchitis and Consumption. A little of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will cure that cough. The price puts it within reach of all. Sold by J. H. Orme druggist.

Marion Milling Company's Products.

The makers name on a food article means a great deal to the consumer—also to the maker of the product if it has merit. The name Marion Milling Co., stands back of it—it means that the maker is proud to use his name in connection with the product.

The names "ELK" and "CROWN" is on all the flour products of the Marion Milling Co., because the makers are positive their flour is clean, honestly made, wholesome and satisfactory and that the product is a credit to their name.

When you buy the Marion Milling Company's flour product you know what you are getting, and you know that their guarantee behind it means something.

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In feelings, not in figures on a dial. We should count time by heart throbs. He most lives

Who thinks most, feels the noblest acts the best.



THE OLD WAY

A Criminal Attack

on an inoffensive citizen is frequently made in that apparently useless little tube called the "appendix." It's generally the result of protracted constipation, following liver torpor. Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the liver, prevent appendicitis, and establish regular habits of the bowels. 25c. at J. H. Orme's drug store.

Heartburn



You know what it is—few people are exempt from frequent "spells" of this distressing complaint.

The appetite becomes impaired, while a severe gnawing or burning sensation is experienced in the upper part of the abdomen.

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It contains Cod Liver Oil, Hypophosphites and Glycerine, to make fat, blood and bone, and so put together that it is easily digested by little folk.

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Hogwallow News.

In the barber's chair you will find it by working both feet the razor will pull easier.

Robb Mossely went over to the blacksmith shop yesterday and returned with a wagon load of old horse shoes which he will hang up along Croaker Creek so that he will have a good luck feeling.

But Smith was out in the rain today and got his head wet as his hat had a hole in it.

The postmaster has gone to the big Ford still house after change of a quarter.

The jay birds are getting so thick in Hogwallow that several more trees will have to be planted.

Last as quick as it is raining, Mrs. Peck will go to the Wild On school house after his umbrella.

A large dance was given at the home of Fletcher Henstep in honor of the absence of Ellick Hellwanger who languished in the jail at Hicksville.

Abundant Allsop came in Tuesday with a pair of sheep shears and a yoke. Which is evidence that he is going into the stock business.

The mail carrier was behind with his mail this week as he had several letters to bring.

Wouldn't we get tired if there were no places in the world to sit down?

People riding horseback will always get there sooner than those going in a buggy as the horse always goes a little ahead.

Brushy Hancock is bottling up a cool stump water and will sell it as pure for warts. It will also darken the complexion and lighten the hair.

Try to make your life one continuous grind of pleasure if your money will stand the wear and tear.

Raz Barlow continues to get thinner as the blackberry season comes on but he uses his shyness to advantage especially when it rains, as he can walk right into a shower and by going careful and picking his way can dodge the rain drops without any trouble. He has been known to go thru a hard shower and come out on the other side without ever getting damp.

Yam Simi left just now for Rye Straw. He was in a big hurry to get there and set up on the front end of the wagon.

For Catarrh let me send you free, just to prove merit, a Trial size Box of Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. It is a snow white creamy, healing antiseptic balm that gives instant relief to Catarrh of the nose and throat. Make the free test and see. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Large jars 50 cents. Sold by Haynes & Taylor.

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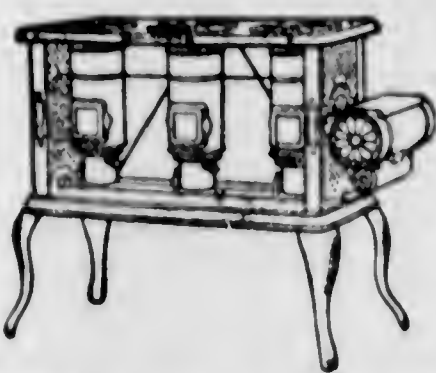
Cure Rheumatism and Kidney At Home

Whether or not it is due to the strenuous mode of life that American leads, or whether to the climate, cannot be said, but it seems certain that more people are afflicted each year with some form of Rheumatism and Kidney and Bladder Troubles.

This is the time to get busy. For the benefit of our readers we give a prescription recommended by one of Chicago's leading specialists. Fluid Extract Casarea Aromatic, one-half ounce; Concentrated Barkure, one ounce; Fluid Extract Prickly Ash Bark, one half Drachm, Aromatic Elixir, four ounces. Mix by shaking in a bottle and take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime. This prescription can be secured at any drug store at a moderate price. In addition it is advisable to drink freely of pure water.

Rheumatic sufferers can have a free sample of Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy with book on Rheumatism by simply writing Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. This book will explain how Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy successfully drives Rheumatism out of the blood. This remedy is not a relief only. It aims to clear the blood entirely of Rheumatic poisons, and then Rheumatism must die a natural death. Sold by Haynes & Taylor.

What "Blue Flame" Means



It means the hottest and cleanest flame produced by any stove. This is the flame the New Perfection Oil Stove gives the instant a lighted match is applied—no delay, no trouble, no soot, no dirt. For cooking, the

NEW PERFECTION Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove

is unequalled. It gives quick results because its heat is highly concentrated. Cuts fuel-expense in two. Made in three sizes. Every stove warranted. If not at your dealer's write to our nearest agency.

The **Rayo Lamp** is the best lamp for all-round household use. Made of brass throughout and beautifully tickled. Perfectly constructed; absolutely safe; unexcelled in light-giving power; an ornament to any room. Every lamp warranted. If not at your dealer's, write to our nearest agency.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY (INCORPORATED)



In Memoriam.

Robbie Marion Steele, who met death by drowning in the Cumberland river at Kuttawa Friday evening March 15th, 1907. He was born Dec. 23 1884. Was a son of Geo. Y. Steele, of Dycusburg, his mother having died when he was a mere child, leaving the father the entire care of his motherless children, of which Robbie was the second, I will say that rarely such devotion have I ever seen in a father, and this sad affliction falls heavily upon him. Robbie and his little brother, Percy, and his sisters, Mayme, Nellie and Tina dearly loved each other. And the young heartbroken wife, of only five weeks, is prostrated with grief. I will say to her look up from the dark and turbulent waters, where the body of her loved husband lies, and know that his soul is with God, and his sainted mother and feel this death makes Heaven nearer and clearer—yes, and dearer, and when a few more fleeting years have past, he'll meet you at Heaven's gates and lead you on. He was truthful, obedient and courteous to all, and these are good qualities loyal and true, ever trusting, modest and sincere in every act of his short life. He has passed from this earth to those great rewards which our father in Heaven ever bestows upon the just and good in the face of death. We can only bow heads in reverence and say "Thy will be done" may the God of all grace place his ever-lasting arm around this bereaved family, and finally bring them again into the companionship of the loved and gone before.

Cousin KATE.

Why.

have a torpid liver when Herbine, the only liver regulator will help you? There is no reason why you should suffer from Dyspepsia, Constipation, Chills and Fever or any liver complaints when Herbine will cure you. F. C. Waite, Westville, Fla., writes: "I was sick for months with chills and fever, and after taking two bottles of Herbine am well and healthy." Sold by J. H. Orme.

Worth Knowing About

If you need a first-class laxative, there's nothing better nor safer than that old family remedy, Brandreth's Pills. Each pill contains one grain of solid extract of sarsaparilla which with other valuable vegetable products make it a blood purifier of excellent character. If you are troubled with constipation, one pill at night will afford great relief.

Brandreth's Pills are the same fine laxative pill your grandparents used. They have been used over a century and are sold in every drug and medicine store, either plain or sugar-coated.

The News—No Pure Drug Cough Cure Laws would be needed, if all Cough Cures were like Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure is and has been for 20 years. The National Law now requires that if any poisons enter into a cough mixture, it must be printed on the label or package.

For this reason mothers, and others, should insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. No poison marks on Dr. Shoop's labels—and none in the medicine, else it must by law be on the label. And it's not only safe, but it is said to be by those that know it best, a truly remarkable cough remedy. Take no chance, particularly with your children. Insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Compare carefully the Dr. Shoop package with others and see. No poison marks there! You can always be on the safe side by demanding Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Simply refuse to accept any other. Sold by Haynes & Taylor.

FREDONIA

Rev. Gray, a young preacher, who is attending school at Lebanon, Tenn., preached at the Presbyterian church here Sunday.

Herbert Young has been dangerously ill for several days at his home near town, and his recovery is doubtful, he has pneumonia and typhoid fever, his wife also has pneumonia but at this writing, is some better.

Rev. Hummel, of Princeton, filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church here Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Young and daughter, Miss Sudie, have pneumonia fever, but is some better at present.

For the Children

To succeed these days you must have plenty of grit, courage, strength. How is it with the children? Are they thin, pale, delicate? Do not forget Ayer's Sarsaparilla. You know it makes the blood pure and rich, and builds up the general health in every way.

The children cannot possibly have good health unless the bowels are in proper condition. A sluggish liver gives a coated tongue, bad breath, enervated bowels. Correct all these by giving small laxative doses of Ayer's Pills. All vegetable, sugar coated.

Made by J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufacturers of HAIR VIGOR, AGUE CURE, CHERRY PECTORAL.

Clyd Boaz, of Dycusburg, was here Tuesday.

Mr. Nunn, of Crowel & Nunn Milling Co., of Blackford, was here Monday. S. C. Bennett & Son, have been selling flour made by this Company for several months, and it gives entire satisfaction. Buy a sack of it. Bennett & Son.

Rev. J. S. Henry and wife, of Marion, were the guest of relatives here Monday and Tuesday.

John and Jim and Tom Ordway returned from St. Louis last week, they brought twenty-five head of nice mules and horses with them.

T. M. Butler has sold his residence here to J. I. Loyd, Mr. Butler will move to Hopkinsville.

The Lowery mines, under the direction of Captain McKnight, is making a good output of barites and they have shipped several car loads from here.

Hardware, collars, pads and etc. Bennett & Son.

Notice to Our Customers.

We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. J. H. Orme.

Millers Meet.

The Ohio Valley Milling Association met at Hotel Henderson today to discuss questions of interest to the association and exchange ideas. The following well-known millers were present: Otho Curry, Sturgis; Robert L. Nunn, Marion; A. Lamb, Clay; R. M. Sigler, Morganfield; George Johnson and Mr. Thomas, Madisonville; Geo. Cox and Mr. Gilbert, Owensboro; and W. M. Farless, of this city—Henderson Journal.

His Dear Old Mother

"My dear old mother, who is now eighty three years old thrives on Electric Bitters," writes W. B. Brunson, of Dublin, Ga. "She has taken them for about two years and enjoys an excellent appetite, feels strong and sleeps well." That's the way Electric Bitters affect the aged, and the same happy results follow in all cases of female weakness and general debility. Weak, puny children too, are greatly strengthened by them. Guaranteed also for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, by J. H. Orme druggist. 50 cents.

Anniversary

On the 29th day of March, 1907, H. B. Stenbridge celebrated his seventy-second birthday, at his home near Iron Hill. He prepared a sumptuous feast for his children and friends, but being an unfavorable day, there was only a few present, but they enjoyed them selves.

Uncle Henry Stenbridge, as he is commonly known, is the father of thirteen children, and twelve is still living, and he is an old Baptist in faith and practice and a democrat politically. He is loved and respected by all of his acquaintances. And we hope he may be spared to celebrate several more birth days, if it is the will of the Creator of all things. A. J. E.

KODOL is a thorough stomach relief. It digests what you eat and gives the stomach rest and assists in restoring it to its normal activity and usefulness. KODOL is sold on a guarantee relief plan by J. H. Orme.

ROLL OF HONOR.

The Following Have Paid or Renewed their Subscriptions. Since Last Report.

J A Daniels	Ky
P W Sullenger	"
F E Coleman	"
L H Franklin	"
G L White	"
Mrs. Lizzie Crider	"
J J Franks	"
John Sutherland	City
J E Cleghorn	"
D N Riley	"
J P Swaney	Ky
Lawrence Hardin	"
Isreal Hughes	"
Allie N. Hodge	"
J. R. Woodall	"
W. D. Johnson	Cal.
R. H. Butler	City
Mrs. Sallie Planary	Ky
Henry Owen	"
T J Yandell Sr.	"
G T Foster	"
E R Hill	"
Addie Pope	"
M C Sutherland	"
H L Riley	"
C W Bryant	City
Mrs. J H Shuttlesworth	Ky
D E Wiggins	"
R G Fowler	City
A U Lamb	Ky
G P Stovall	"
C C Humphrey	"
U S Graves	City

The Richest Man in the World.

The richest man in the world can not have his kidneys replaced nor live without them, so it is important not to neglect these organs. If Foley's Kidney Cure is taken at the first sign of danger, the symptoms will disappear and your health will be restored, as it strengthens and builds up these organs as nothing else will. Oscar Bowman, Lebanon, Ky., writes: "I have used Foley's Kidney Cure and take great pleasure in stating it cured me permanently of kidney disease, which certainly would have cost me my life." J. H. Orme druggist.

Every family should have a representative newspaper from the metropolis of a State, in addition to the home newspaper. The Louisville Herald is up-to-date in its news service, is clean and bright and meets every requirement. The publisher of this paper has arranged to club THE CRITICIZEN RECORD-PRESS with the Daily Herald and offers the two papers at \$2.00 per year. The special price quoted by The Louisville Herald is for a limited period only. Send in your subscription to us before this splendid offer expires.

Use Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. Children like its pleasant taste. Contains no opiates, but drives the cold out through the bowels. Made in conformity to Pure Food and Drugs Law. Recommended and sold by J. H. Orme.

ELECTRIC BITTERS THE BEST FOR BILIOUSNESS AND KIDNEYS

How's Your Liver?

It will pay you to take good care of your liver, because, if you do, your liver will take good care of you.

Sick liver puts you all out of sorts, makes you pale, dizzy, sick at the stomach, gives you stomach ache, headache, malaria, etc. Well liver keeps you well, by purifying your blood and digesting your food.

There is only one safe, certain and reliable liver medicine, and that is

Thedford's Black-Draught

For over 60 years this wonderful vegetable remedy has been the standard in thousands of homes, and is today the favorite liver medicine in the world. It acts gently on the liver and kidneys, and does not irritate the bowels. It cures constipation, relieves congestion, and purifies the system from an overflow of bile, thereby keeping the body in perfect health. Price 25c at all druggists and dealers. Test it.

NEW MAN AND NEW STOCK

At the John Sutherland stand near depot with a nice stock of

Groceries and Cold Drinks

Of every kind, where I most cordially invite all my friends and patrons to come and see me.

Hoping to have a liberal share of your trade, I am yours respectfully,

James W. Paris.



Announcement

If any of my work has proven unsatisfactory during the past three years please call at my office at once

Very respectfully,

F. W. NUNN Dentist

Office: Rooms 2 and 4 Jenkins Bldg. MARION, KY.

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J. N. Boston LUMBER YARD

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Rough Lumber, Dressed Lumber, Weatherboarding, Laths, Shingles, Windows, Doors, Mouldings, Locks, Hinges, Nails four kinds Rubber Roofing, Building Paper, Patent Plaster, Grates and Fire Brick, Stair Baluster and Rail. Fresh car of Atlas Cement. These goods are right and so are the prices.

Jamestown Exposition

Excursion rates for the Jamestown Exposition is as follows:

Season ticket \$31.00

60 day ticket 28.75

15 day ticket 23.60

For the round trip. Tickets on sale April 19 to Nov. 30.

W. L. VENNOR, Agt.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR stops the cough and heals lungs

OUR CLOTHING LOOKS GOOD

Enough to buy, if the price is right.

Our Price Is Right!

For Men, Young Men, Boys and Children.

Just a Little
Better in Make
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Materials are
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NEW SHOES

For Spring

Stocks were never more
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Low Cuts, High Cuts

Our lines in every grade
are the best that can be had
for the money. The styles
are Snappy and just what
good dressers want. But
that isn't all, the quality is
just as good as the looks.

We Guarantee a Fit
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BUY THE BEST HERE
PRICES THE LOWEST

Walk-over Shoes
FIT AND WEAR BEST

All the new things for spring
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HEADWEAR

ALL WE ASK

The Even Chance of a Fair
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WE HAVE THE GOODS
WE MAKE THE PRICES

Our Spring Display is all You Could Ask For.

WE CAN SUIT YOU IN

Dress Goods, Dry Goods, Silks, Satins
Lawns, Wash Goods, Etc.

WE SHOW YOU ALL THAT IS NEW AND STYLISH

Ladies' New Belts
New Collars
New Neckwear

Laces of all Kinds
Embroidery Bargains
All-Overs

Novelties for All.

Investigate
Compare

We seek your busi-
ness on the basis of

Best Goods
for
Less Money

BUY YOUR

HOUSE FURNISHINGS

FROM US

Because we show the best styles in

Carpets Druggets Rugs
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THURSDAY, APRIL 18, 1907.

We are authorized to announce
R. H. THOMAS

a candidate for **Assessor**, to fill out the
unexpired term of J. Anthony David-
son, subject to the action of the Re-
publican party. He endorses the local
option law.

A few words from Uncle Mark
Twain would come fine just now,
amid this fuss.

Of course, recent events have con-
vinced Senator Cullom that he was
when he expressed the opinion that a
certain railroad man ought to be in
jail.

Milwaukee young ladies have or-
ganized a "Lemon Club" but as no
gentlemen are admitted to mem-
bership, it is not clear how the lemons
are going to be squeezed.

Since learning that Senator Whyte
of Maryland, has defended 83 mur-
der cases and never lost one, HARRY
THAW must be thinking he over-
looked some legal talent.

The Kansas man who hung out a
sign reading "Don't dump ashes here
under penalty of the law or any other
trash," probably had his ideas
about the "unwritten law."

If you happen to see any conspir-
acies prowling your backyard of a
dark night, the president requests
that you be so kind as to biff them
on the back of the head.

Texas has passed a law that sheets
on hotel beds shall be nine feet long.
It annoys a Texan to wake up in the
morning and find a stingy little sheet
tangled up in his spurs.

Can These Things Be?

In an interview bearing the stamp
of authenticity Ex-Senator Blackburn
is quoted as expressing the opinion
that the republicans have a most
excellent opportunity to carry Ken-
tucky in the gubernatorial race this
year. We do not know whether Sen-
ator Blackburn made this statement
or not, indeed with the memory of
the many battles in democracy's be-
half waged in the past by the loyal
leader, we sincerely hope that he did
not. However disappointment, espe-
cially that colored with political
ambition, often leads men into strange
paths, and in view of recent events,
that have happened in Kentucky
politics in the days not long gone.
It is possible that a cloud of resent-
ment has obscured the erstwhile clear
vision of the Kentucky senator,
bringing forth words that came with
ill grace from one who for lot these
many years has eaten heartily at the
table of democracy. Then, too,
in view of the recent appointment by
President Roosevelt of the ex-Senator
to a federal position which pays
fourteen thousand dollars a year, can
it be that the glamor of the new en-
vironments, the call of strange
voices, add the tempting allurement
of a snug berth beneath the kindly
wing of federal patronage, has caused
the old war horse to forget the old
friends of the past, and to turn
from the beaten paths of the old days
into the alluring fields, that lead
along the primrose path of momen-
tary promise? Far be it from us to
believe such things. We have too
high an estimate of Kentucky man-
hood, too strong an assurance in the
abiding faith of democracy, too firm
a belief in the man himself.

Give us the proof and we will ad-
mit our error, but it must be strong
proof bearing the undisputable
stamp of authority. Until then we
will still believe in the constancy of
the old guard, still hold his banner
aloft, still remember his loyalty in
the past, and if it must be done,
draw a veil over the questionable
ways of the future.—Paducah News
Democrat.

The First Engine.

The first engine on the new M. &
A. railroad ran up to the depot in
Morganfield at 4:20 Tuesday after-
noon, carrying behind her ten gons
and two work cars. The engine was
hurried over the road by Sheriff Mort
Quirey who volunteered as fireman,
with Jack Walker and Vaughn
Brown to assist him in his arduous
task. Engine No. 2113 was the
first engine pulled over the new
road to Morganfield and a big crowd
assembled to watch her come in.—
Uniontown Telegram.

Delightful Meeting.

The Marion Musical Club met
with Mrs. Dr. Trisler, Saturday Apr.
13th. Charles Frances Gounod, was
the composer to be studied.

PROGRAMME.

Funeral march	Gounod
Miss Sallie Woods	
Vocal Solo from Faust	Gounod
Mrs. C. P. Noggle	
Selection from Romeo	
et Juliette, Gounod	
Mrs. J. W. Wilson	
Watchman, what of the night?	Gounod
Vocal-Mrs. Walker and Miss	
Carolyn Harris.	
Number by the Orchestra	
Duet by Mesdames Jenkins and	
Tucker.	
Life of Gounod	Mrs. J. H. Orme
Advancement of our club Miss Harris.	
Hostess served refreshments.	

Mrs. J. W. Wilson resigned as
president, officers elected as follows.
Mrs. Trisler, Pres. Mrs. Walker,
Vice Pres. Mrs. Orme, Sec. and Treas.
The musical talent of the city is
being developed in a marked degree
by the club's efforts, and the city
has reason to be proud of her musi-
cians. The art is one of the most
refined and delicate gifts of nature
and is always a welcome and much
desired adjunct to any entertainment
as well as to the home circle, and
the Record-Press bids the club
God-speed.

Too often is music thrown aside
for the more sober cares of life. This
should not be, for both vocal and
instrumental music are among our
first arts, and both should be culti-
vated.

Gave Bond.

Mayo L. Smith, who was arrested
at Salem by Deputy Sheriff J. L.
Perry and brought to this city Mon-
day night, gave bond last Tuesday
in the sum of \$250 for his appear-
ance at the next term of the Caldwell
Circuit Court with the following well
known gentlemen as bondsmen: Dr.
K. W. Ogilvie, C. C. Terry, T. H.
King and W. W. Piercey. Mr. Smith
and his friends claim that he is not
guilty of any wrong doing as charg-
ed.—Princeton Leader.

We are informed that the above
man had been arrested at Salem for
an alleged misrepresentation of facts
in a horse trade with Ordway Bros.
at Fredonia, who had the warrant
gotten out.

Lost, Strayed or Stolen.

One black and white setter bird-
dog, answers to the name of Cap.
Any information will be rewarded by
JIM HENRY.

Mrs. O. M. James Entertains.

Mrs. O. M. James very delight-
fully entertained a number of friends
Friday afternoon, April 12, from
three to six o'clock. This was one
of the most enjoyable functions of
the season. In the literary contest
the prize, a beautiful hand painted
plate, was won by Mrs. Fanny Walk-
er. In this contest the questions
were answered with the names of
authors and the following is a copy
Grows on the foot, Bunyan.
Worn on the head, Hood.
What we see every day, Holmes
Where cattle graze, Fields
A preservative for meat, Bryant.
A high ecclesiastic, Pope.
Noted for his length, Longfellow
Gentle as a dove, Lamb.
A slang expression, Dickens
Found in a canal, Locke.
A vital organ, Harte.
Fiery things, Burns.
Brighter and snarier than the
last, Whittier.
An animal's home where there is
no water, Dryden.
A worker in precious metal, Gold-
smith.
Very rapid, Swift.

LOCAL NEWS

Murray Hodge and Homer Book-
ley, of View, left Tuesday for Pan-
handle Texas.

Rev. W. H. Miley, of Louisville,
arrived Tuesday afternoon, to begin
a series of meetings at the Presby-
terian church.

Miss Lyda Kuykendall, of Prince-
ton, was the guest of Miss Allie
Wilborn, Sunday.

On April 27, Saturday week, we
will load another ear of poultry for
the Eastern market. We pay fancy
prices for chickens. SCHWAB.

If farmers will look out for their
own interest they will quit paying
commission. If you don't know what
that means call on your friend Schwab
and he will explain.

The Golden Luck Missionary Soci-
ety will have a candy pulling at the
Methodist parsonage at three o'clock
next Saturday after noon, all invited
10 cents admission.

Dr. H. R. Boitnott, of Daniel
Boone, Ky., and Miss Minnie Cart-
wright were married last Wednesday
afternoon at the home of Rev. W. T.
Oakley, and he officiating. The
groom is the coal company's physi-
cian at Daniel Boone, and is the son
of J. H. Boitnott, of Dawson. The
bride is one of Caldwell county's
best teachers and is a charming
young lady. They were accompan-
ied by Miss White, of Princeton.

Rev. W. D. Powell who held a
meeting at the Baptist church in this
city a few weeks ago, is now in Mex-
ico.

Wm. Tyner and daughter, of Em-
maus, were in the city Tuesday the
guests of D. N. Riley and family.

We want your wool and everything
in the produce line. Come to
Schwab's. Don't stop until you get
there.

We want your wool and everything
in the produce line. Come to
Schwab's. Don't stop until you get
there.

The Marion Choral Society will
render four numbers of the program
at the Opera House next Tuesday
evening. This is their initial ap-
pearance before the public.

A fine stallion valued at \$1,000
died on the down trip of the John
S. Hopkins Sunday night. It had
been sold by Fisher & Co., of Evans-
ville, to parties in Birdsville, Ky.—
Uniontown Telegram.

Mrs. J. B. Kevil who has been ill
for several months, we are very glad
to report much better. If she con-
tinues to improve as she has done the
past two weeks, she will soon be
well.

Our old friend Bryce Weldon now
living in East St. Louis, Ill., writes
us under date of April 14 as follows:
"The good old Press comes regularly
to us and is better from home every
Friday. The Press was always good
but it seems greatly improved since
the consolidation."

Miss Mina Weldon, daughter of
S. B. Weldon formerly of Tonn, who
had the misfortune to get badly hurt
by falling down a stairway in a large
St. Louis store where she was em-
ployed, has been awarded a good set-
tlement against the owners of the
building for a good sum, which will
in part repay her for the suffering
and loss of time. Her friends will
be glad to learn of this.

Givens' meat market furnishes the
best meat that Evansville Cold Stor-
age can put out. Hamburger, beef
loaf and other ground meats that you
should want. Hamburger seasoned
or unseasoned. Fish on Tuesday,
Thursday and Saturday. For Sun-
day meat telephone me on Saturday
evening so I can have time to get
your meat out in first class shape.

Secure your tickets for the Mar-
ion Choral Society Concert. At
the Opera House Tuesday even-
ing April, 23 1907. Prices this week
25, 35 and 50 cents.

Among the clever specialty per-
formers who will appear in Frank
and Albee's Comedians at the Opera
House Friday night are the musical
Coles, who play upon six different
novel instruments including the
marimbaphone, the bamboo bell,
cow bells and other novel effects, also
including electrical and picture nov-
elties. Billy and Patsy McClain's
black face comedian and a pretty
winsome soprano in a comedy sketch
introducing clever singing and dancing
Miss Allie Wecker with the
latest illustrated songs, marvelous
Will Keigley, wonderful barrel
jumper and comic diversions on the
wire, Chas. Fairburn, yodle sing-
er and character comedian.

Mr. Harriman seems much more
willing to testify against that steno-
grapher who stole the Webster let-
ter than he was to tell what he knew
about his railroad combination.

"KEEP SMILING."

Feed your horse fine hay.
Timothy Hay. Baled Hay
will be sold this month. See
PRES FORD & W. R. CRUCE.

TOTAL LOSS

NO INSURANCE!

Is the oft repeated expres-
sion which tells its own
tale of putting off till to-
morrow that which should
have been done today.

Neglecting to insure
causes a loss of many mil-
lions of dollars every year
to property owners. Don't
be one of them, but get
your insurance now.

I represent one of the
strongest insurance offices
in the land, and without
question the oldest in the
world, being established in
1710.

LET ME INSURE YOUR PROPERTY

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QUALITY FIRST!



After you are Assured as to the Quality of Goods, the Price Comes as a Secondary Matter, and this We Guarantee to be Right in Every Particular.

Never were the Patterns in CLOTHING

Prettier than they are this Season and we are prepared to give you the best for less money than many will charge you for much inferior goods.

We have them for **Men and Boys.** They are made to fit and fit to wear.

We also have a complete line of **Extra Pants.**

Each suit bearing the **"STERLING"** Label is Guaranteed.

The Snappy Things in Dress Goods

Are always shown here, and our prices are such that when you look you will buy.

We will save you money when buying

**Carpets
Druggets
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Mattings
Lace Curtains
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New Line of SHIRTS

Soft Negligee Shirts with collars attached from

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New and Complete Line of

**NECKWEAR
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Direct from Mills.

Elbow gloves are hard to find. We still have them in Silk and Lisle. Long Lisle black and white 75c

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If you want Good

Shoes and Oxfords

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For Children

There are none better no matter what others may ask you for them.

WE GIVE YOU GOOD VALUES
AND PLEASE YOU TOO

TAYLOR & CANNAN

BRIM FULL
OF BARGAINS

PERSONALS

W. Nunn, dentist, Press Building.
M. L. Pogue was in the city Saturday.
D. C. Roberts, of Paducah, was in town the first of the week.
J. S. Weaver, T. P. A. for Rock Island, was in the city, Friday.
Messrs. J. B. Ray and Willis, of Paducah, were in the city Saturday.
Messrs. H. C. Rice, of Kelsey, came to visit Mrs. W. O. Tucker.
A. E. Cannan visited friends in Paducah last week.
Miss Lena Terry was in town Saturday.
Mrs. Lester Terry was in the city Saturday.
George Nunn, of Sullivan, was in the city Wednesday.
W. T. Oakley was in Crayneville, attending Presbytery.
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Columbus Neely spent Sunday at home.

J. W. Givens went to Princeton Monday.

Kearney McCord was in the city this week.

Mrs. Claude Cruce attended the Presbytery at Crayneville last week.

Mrs. P. H. Deloe attended Presbytery at Crayneville last week.

W. M. Walker was in town Tuesday en route home from Paducah.

W. C. Carnahan left Tuesday for a trip to Texas and New Mexico.

Mrs. Frank Ross, of Princeton, spent Monday in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Pickens left Monday to visit her brother in St. Louis.

Miss May Austin, of New Salem, visited Miss Alma Conyer of this city last week.

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Miss Luna Bryant, of Hopkinsville, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bryant.

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Mr. Claude C. Schwab, of San Antonio, Texas, spent Sunday in the city, the guest of M. Schwab and family.

Mrs. Henry McMeen returned Tuesday from Paducah, where she had been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. B. L. Yates.

Miss Carrie Moore, of Hopkinsville, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Moore, of this city.

New electric lights are being installed this week for L. H. James, P. T. Sigler, Rev. Flynn, Hugh Hurley and Press bldg. shed.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Farmer, of Owensboro, are the guests of his parents, J. A. Farmer. They will visit friends in Tolu while here.

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J. E. Threlkeld was in the city Saturday.

A. P. Love, of Sheridan, was in town Tuesday.

C. W. Haynes spent Sunday in Hopkinsville.

R. B. Gass, of Henderson, was in the city this week.

Jesse Franks, of Levas, with his family were here Tuesday.

Mrs. H. A. Cameron visited friends in Sturgis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McNeely, of Princeton, were in the city Tuesday.

Henry Conger left Tuesday for Kansas where he will spend the summer.

A. T. Hodge and wife, of Frances, were the guests of D. N. Riley and family Tuesday.

Concert prices this week 25, 35 and 50 cents. Buy your tickets now.

Rev. W. H. Miley, of Louisville, arrived Tuesday and is now engaged in a protracted meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Curry, of near Providence, were the guests of Geo. E. Williams and family this week.

Miss Lilly Guess and brother, Joe, were the guests of friends in the Blackburn vicinity Saturday and Sunday.

On April 27, Saturday week, we will load another car of poultry for the Eastern market. Will pay fancy prices for chickens. Scuwau.

Jas. T. Terry left Tuesday for Hope, New Mexico. He has gone to visit Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Perry. Mr. Terry is reported to be very ill.

Miss Pearl Watson carried the audience to a storm of applause by sweet singing.—Morganfield Sun.

Mrs. W. E. Cox, of Kelsey, was in the city this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McChesney.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel A. Pickens are in St. Louis this week the guests of her brother, J. L. Millikan, on Osage Avenue.

Carl Henderson, C. E. Weldon and W. A. Blackburn were in Frankfort, last week, before the State Board of Equalization.

A show of unusual character will be presented at the Opera House next Friday night. It is a clear, neat show of vaudeville specialty acts in which the individual merit of each performer in some particular astonishes the people or makes them laugh.

Herman Hill visited his brother Friday.

Several Chapel Hill people attended church here Sunday.

R. E. Wilburn and Lester Paris were in Sturgis Sunday.

Leonard Riley, of Livingston Co., was in the city Saturday.

Col. L. H. James was in Princeton Monday on legal business.

Rev. E. D. Boggess, of Tolu, was in the city the first of the week.

Emmett Koltinsky and Tom Cameron were in DeKoven Sunday.

Mrs. M. A. Riley, of Kuttawa, is the guest of her son, D. N. Riley, of this city.

LOST.—A coral pin Tuesday night. Please return to Mrs. Ben Andres.

Leonard Champion, of Lola, was in town Wednesday enroute home from Louisville.

Miss Ethel McCaslin, of Marion, visited friends relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. J. S. Rowe, of Sturgis, was in the city, Monday en route home from Salem where he had been to fill his appointment.

If you want ice, hang out your card and listen for the gong.

Elzie Thomas.

Mrs. J. W. Lamb and little daughter, Geneva, were the guests of relatives in Sturgis Sunday.

D. N. Riley left Tuesday for Paducah, Texas. He is looking for a location.

Miss Millie Eaton and little niece, Hazel Love, are the guests of Miss Kate Carter, of near Levas.

W. H. Copher left Tuesday for Harrisburg, Ill., where he will visit his daughter, Mrs. Orville Ferrel.

Miss Clara Reed, of Fredonia, was the guest of Miss Bulah Conyer, Sunday.

Miss Tommy Lyle Waller, of Morganfield, has mezzo soprano of much sweetness. She will be heard at the Marion Choral Society Concert on next Tuesday evening.

M. J. Tackwell and D. E. Crayne, of the northern section of Caldwell and on Marion route, No. 5, were visitors in the city Sunday and yesterday. Mr. Crayne is a brother of E. E. Crayne, of this city.—Princeton Leader.

The Marion Choral Society Concert Tuesday April, 23 1907 seats now on sale at Haynes & Taylor's.

Misses Stella and Fannie Bryant left Saturday for Clay.

John Daughtrey, of Uniontown, spent Sunday with his brother, Dr. Daughtrey.

Miss Kate Phillips, of Sturgis, spent a few days last week with her aunt, Mrs. W. N. Rochester.

Ninnie Belle and Lula Lee Berry, of Sturgis, visited Elizabeth and Vianna Roberts, last week.

Mrs. T. H. Cochran spent a few days with friends in Evansville, last week.

Rev. T. A. Conway returned Saturday, from his trip to Texas. He is well pleased with the country.

Zed A. Bennett left Sunday for Henderson, where he will be engaged in the insurance business.

Mrs. J. N. Riley, of Kuttawa, who had been the guest of Mrs. D. N. Riley, left for her home Saturday.

W. H. Crow returned last week from Ft. Worth, Texas, where he had spent the winter.

Frank and Allie's Comedians, who play at the Opera House next Friday night, are all artists who amuse by themselves. There is no play. Although two one-act sketches are added by members of the company taking part in them. Otherwise the members of the company amuse by personal cleverness.

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Mrs. N. D. LEFFEL.

Mrs. Fannie Koon and daughter, Mrs. Ida Butler, of near Fredonia, returned home after a few days pleasant visit to Mrs. Chas. Gregston.—Princeton Leader.

If farmers will look out for their own interest they will quit paying commission. If you don't know what that means call on your friend Schwab and he will explain. Scuwau.

Mrs. A. H. Carlin, of View, attended Mrs. James' reception Friday afternoon.

Rev. E. B. Blackburn went to Corinth, Friday, to fill his appointment.

J. L. Clifton left Wednesday on his trip. He went to Memphis to begin work.

Mrs. Jas. E. Chittenden, of Hopkinsville, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Williams.

G. P. Roberts, T. P. Carter and W. M. Sanders, left Thursday for Goleonda, to look after some mineral deals.

Forest Harris, of Tolu, was here Thursday, accompanied by his little son, en route to Henderson and Evansville, on a business trip.

Mrs. C. E. Weldon and children, were the guests of relatives in Tolu the latter part of last week.

Mrs. J. L. Summerville and children, spent several days last week with her father, C. E. Doss.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Daughtrey spent a few days last week, with their son, Dr. Daughtrey.

Mrs. W. E. Cox and son, Paul, of Fredonia, were the guests of Mrs. J. M. McChesney, the first of the week.

Mrs. Jane Flanary was called to Caldwell Springs to be with her grand son, Chas. Mayes, who is very ill.

Mrs. Lee Johnson and children, left Wednesday for their new home in Greenville.

J. P. Pierce went to Paducah last week, as a delegate to the grand lodge of the Golden Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brown, who have spent the winter here, the guests of Mrs. Brown's sister, Mrs. W. D. Cannan, returned home Tuesday going via Cairo and Kankakee, Ill. Mrs. Brown was before her marriage, Miss Etta Bristow, step-daughter of Squire P. C. Stephens, of Repton.

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In Memoriam.

Mrs. Mary E. Jacobs, wife of Green Jacobs, died at their home near Chapel Hill, April 1st, 1907. Her funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. A. J. Thomson, assisted by Rev. Oakley at one o'clock Wednesday afternoon in the church at Chapel Hill, in the presence of a large congregation. At the close of the service her remains were laid to rest in a specially prepared vault in the cemetery near the church, and by the side of her mother who died several years ago.

Sister Jacobs was born near Lily Dale Mar. 11th, 1861, and was forty six years and twenty-one days old, at the time of her death. She professed religion when quite young, and united with the church at Piney Fork. Several years ago she was transferred by letter to Chapel Hill church, and was a devoted member of that church until God called her to go up higher.

She was married to Green Jacobs Feb. 11th, 1886. Three children were born to them, Everett, Homer and Glee, these and her husband are left to mourn her loss. Sister Jacobs suffered with a spell of la grippe about a year ago, from which she never recovered, the dreaded disease consumption, followed. For a year she has been a great sufferer, but all her sufferings have been borne with a trusting submission to the will of God.

Her pastor who saw her often during her sickness, is glad to bear witness to her patient, sweet Christian spirit.

As the time drew near for her to cross over the river, she told her pastor that her way was clear and bright, and that she was going to her God without a doubt or fear, and when the end came, like a child she quietly and sweetly fell asleep in Jesus. The scriptures read at her funeral were Psalm 23:1-4, 1 Cor. 15:51-58, 1 Thess. 4:13-18. Text 1 Cor. 15:53.

Sister Jacobs was a woman greatly loved by her kindred, neighbors and friends. She was a good daughter, a faithful wife and a loving and devoted mother, never was a mother more devoted to her children than she to her three boys, she loved her friends, and loved to entertain them in her home, she loved God and her church and pastor. She was a striking example of the scriptural injunction "Be thou faithful until death." Now she has met her savior and received her crown of life. The pastor prays God's blessings upon the bereaved husband and motherless boys, and her father and brothers, and may God's grace keep us all and bring us safe at home at last.

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There is a curious legend of the devil making his confession in Cologne cathedral. He professes to repent his crimes and to be willing to endure a thousand years of penance. "My son," says the priest, "all you need is to bow before the image of the Crucified and ask him for pardon."

"What?" cries the devil. "He who swept up the chips for Joseph, he who hung on a gallows?" And he turned on his heel, with a curse.

In popular legend and folklore the devil is outwitted constantly, contracts made with him are broken, and he is again and again deceived by the simplest expedients as substituting a lantern for the sunrise. This, if I remember rightly, occurs in the legend of the Devil's Lake at Brighton. As a child terrified by a very different Satan I remember the light brought to my own spirit by some story of the kind. The expedient in this case was cutting the sole out of the shoe which the devil had to fill with slaves. The shoe was never filled, and so he could never claim his part of the bargain. I remember feeling a thrill of relief at seeing that it was possible to evade and elude him after all.

There is an Icelandic legend which is possibly the origin of the proverb, "The devil take the hindmost." He had agreed to instruct seven scholars in all the mysteries of magic for no other reward than that when their seven years' apprenticeship was over he should have as his third the last to leave for the last time by the single narrow door. On that fatal day the last to leave literally escaped him, eluded him by slipping out of his cloak which the devil had grasped. He became a most worthy parish priest, venerated all over the island. As the iron door slammed to it crushed his heel.

The devil is constantly represented in tradition and folk tales as childish, grotesque, spiteful. With his bellows he tries to put out St. Genevieve's candle as she carries it alight through rain and wind to church. A very well known legend is that of St. Dunstan who, when attacked by him while busy at the forge, brought the conflict to an end by seizing the adversary with the red-hot tongs. This incident was the most popular pageant provided by the goldsmiths on lord mayor's day, when the mayor happened to be elected from their company.

The lion and the dragon are the animals typical of the devil. It is said that the ancient idea of the animosity between the lion and the cock is the origin of the placing of the weathercock upon the steeple. A medieval rhythm says of the cock, "In morte dani concinat les periturator" and the idea was to terrify Satan by the sight of the enemy on the highest point of the sacred building. The dragon was the symbol of the powers of darkness everywhere. In many of the stories of saints delivering a country from a devouring dragon the dragon obviously represents paganism destroyed by the labors of the Christian apostle. Up to the French revolution a prisoner was set free at Rome every year on Ascension day in commemoration of the deliverance of the people from a dragon by St. Roman in Provence. St. Martin bound a monster called the tarasque with his girdle so that the people could slay him "with swords and gloves," hence the name Tarasque. In Spain a monster snake called la tarasca, is dragged in the Corpus Christi processions to signify Christ's triumph over death and hell by the way the Elizabethan injunctions decreed that in the rogation tide processions "there should be neither George nor Margaret, but the old dragon to come on alone and show himself."

He was believed to have special power over the air, to be continually stirring up thunderstorms and tempests of wind and hail; hence the ringing of the bells during thunderstorms to frighten the evil spirits away. It was by the help of Satan that Simon Magus, according to the early Christian legend, floated in the air till commanded by St. Peter to descend. It is significant that Leonardo da Vinci, the typical figure of the renaissance, spent many years of his life in the endeavor to invent a flying machine. The opposition he met with from the clergy and devout people was intense. It is indeed difficult to imagine a more concrete symbol of all that is most opposed to what has been known historically as the Christian spirit than a flying machine. It must have seemed a partaking of Lucifer's daring presumption, to be speedily followed by a similar fall.—National Review.

Modern Luxurious Living.

The fact is, the laborer of today has luxuries that neither Queen Elizabeth nor King George of our great grand fathers' time ever dreamed of, dill, mail, telephone, street cars, electricity for domestic purposes, homes well lighted, well plumbed and well heated, to say nothing of the thousand and one articles that we daily use and do not regard as luxuries—for example matches. Nowadays contagious diseases do not devastate our cities, because state and municipal laws insist to enforce protective sanitation. Never were homes so clean and well cared for as by the housekeepers of today.—Syracuse Journal.

GRAFT IN ENGLAND.

Perhaps Not So Great In Extent as Here, but Yet Well Started.

The Operation of Public Utilities by Public Officials Has Placed Them Under Such Temptations as They Have Never Before Known—Why They Are Not Exposed.

There is nothing about the visiting American in England more amusing to the native than the American's conviction that there is no graft in English municipal politics.

Frederick C. Howe, the magazine writer who writes so much in praise of municipal ownership, the British form of socialism, admits that there is graft in England, but says it is all practiced by the lords and millionaires. No graft he declares, has crept in through the municipal ownership and operation of public utilities.

Graft in England may not be of such magnitude as in the United States," said an Englishman who is well known in public life, but is rather a hard nut to crack. "But it exists here as certainly and does in America. It is carried on along similar lines, and fostered by the opportunities which the rising tide of municipal trading affords, as rapidly growing in magnitude. It is owing to our overstrict local laws and to the fact that municipal law may not be granted under English law to one who confesses to accepting a bribe that the corruption now so well known to exist in our municipal governments has not been exposed long ago."

The newspapers knew all about it and they know who are the grafters, but they do not dare to expose the situation, and until the proper statutes are enacted it will be almost impossible to punish grafters through the courts.

Not so very long ago a certain speech was reported in one of the London newspapers. The speechmaker was indignant for neither the subject matter of the speech nor the circumstances under which it was delivered were creditable to him, and he brought a suit for damages on the ground that the libel laws had been violated. It was not claimed that the speech was inaccurately reported, in deed it was admitted that the report was substantially without error, yet nevertheless heavy damages were awarded to the plaintiff on the grounds that the plaintiff's reputation had been injured and that the publisher could not show that the publication of the report was of benefit to the public.

A little longer ago it was suspected that members of the council of London borough of Poplar had been accepting bribes from contractors who were furnishing materials and supplies. Detectives were put upon the case and the facts were run down. Certain of the contractors and councilmen, confronted with those facts, confessed and promised to go upon the stand in court and testify to the truth. In due time one of the guilty men took the stand as promised and told the story as agreed.

He was immediately arrested as a criminal under the law as its statute and slated for an early trial. This elicited the enthusiasm of the others who had promised to confess and they changed their minds promptly and irrevocably. As the prosecution was thus left without witnesses, the investigation was brought to an abrupt close.

"Now the installation and operation of tramways, electric light works, gas works, etc., involves the letting of many large contracts by men who hold places in the municipal councils, not because they are fitted by training and experience to let such contracts, but because they have succeeded through petty politics in getting elected. They receive no pay for their services and in many cases are men without financial resources of any consequence.

"There are contractors in England as well as in America who are not above getting contracts through bribery and there are council members of the grade I have mentioned who are no more able to resist the temptation to be bribed in England than they would be in America. If I would not sound unpatriotic, I might go so far as to say that since municipal trading has so increased the magnitude of municipal contracts Englishmen in many cities have been known to seek election to the councils in order to have the chance to be bribed.

"We could today make exposures of graft in London and more than one other English city that would startle American readers even, accustomed as they are to reading graft stories, if we could only give immunity to whoever might be either named or reasoned into confessing the truth. In other words, municipal ownership and operation of public utilities in England are rapidly homecoming all our municipal governments with graft.

"The law makes an exception with regard to election bribery charges, and immunities may lawfully be promised to those whose testimony is needed to convict the guilty. This has enabled us to unearth many election irregularities, as the readers of English newspapers know very well, and eventually we are going to be able to unearth the facts with regard to bribery and jobbery in English municipal administration. We are well aware, however, that it will probably be quite as difficult to job as it was thirty odd years ago in America to unearth the frauds perpetrated by New York's notorious Tweed ring."

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